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[Please cancel claim 3 without prejudice or disclaimer to the subject matter thereof, and without prejudice to the right to file a Divisional application directed thereto.]

[Please amend claims 4 and 5 as follows:]

4. (Amended) An active matrix liquid crystal display device according to claim 1 or 2, wherein the active matrix liquid crystal display has a normally-black mode.

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5. (Amended) An active matrix liquid crystal display device according to claim 1 or 2, wherein a view angle range of a contrast ratio of at least 10 to 1 is within a range of all-directional coverage as tilted by at least 40 degrees from a vertical direction with respect to a display plane.
